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## An Evening Echo.

The ingratitude of the world can never deprive us of the conscious happiness of having acted with humanity ourselves—GOLDSMITH.

## Conservation of Sight.

It would probably be extravagant to say that half of the educated class today have vision so impaired that it would be impossible for them to work without glasses, and even with such artificial aids thousands are victims of chronic eye strain, are limited in their hours of work and are constantly afflicted with resulting disorders such as headaches, observes an exchange. If one should say that half of any class in the country had serious impairment of their organs of equal importance to the eye the statement would be staggering. Familiarity with poor eyesight, however, seems to have discounted the gravity of the situation.

The prime cause is, without doubt, the general ignorance on the proper ways in which to use the eyes. Reading print which is not clear, doing intricate writing or hand work and the use of the eyes in any way with bad lighting, are familiar ways in which the vision is impaired.

Good eyesight is vital to the highest type of efficiency. The tendency as time goes on will be to use the eyes more rather than less. It is therefore important to learn and on the account of the community to teach persons how to use their eyes in the best possible way and therefore, to conserve vision as a national resource.

## The Coffman Bill.

The Parkersburg Dispatch-News publishes the following sensible editorial in regard to the Coffman state primary election bill now pending in the legislature:

Discussion of the merits of the primary election bill introduced by Senator Coffman is perfectly legitimate. If the provision relating to state committees, or any other provision, is objectionable it should be eliminated.

But, the argument over the minor features should not be allowed to obscure the main purpose. The first and fundamental division of the legislators is between those who want a primary law, and those who do not want one. This distinction must be kept in mind. The objection to a particular feature of the proposed law, coming from a person who is opposed to any sort of primary bill, is entitled to little weight. On the other hand, those who honestly want a primary bill differ among themselves as to its provisions. These should strive by all legitimate means to get together, remembering that the spirit of compromise—giving and taking in matters not vitally essential—is always necessary in the framing of legislation.

Republicans, especially, should understand that the Democratic members would be delighted to find some plausible excuse to vote against the bill. No such excuse should be afforded. In the preparation of the bill for its final passage, the greatest care should be exercised to keep out everything that is offensive. The provision which retains the present state committee until 1912 is not, of itself, unfair—certainly it cannot work any hardship on the Democratic members. But it is not an essential part of a primary law. It will be magnified and distorted into an attempt to keep in power certain men; for that reason, it would be as well to leave it out.

In short, the bill should be made

so plain, and brief and simple—its purpose should be so direct and unmistakable—that there will be no room for disagreement as to its merits. Let it be absolutely fair. Then, if the Democratic members vote against it, the people will know exactly where to place the responsibility.

It must be remembered, however, that the position of the Democratic members is childishly absurd. With a strong working majority, they are sitting still and throwing the burden of preparing and submitting a bill upon the Republican minority. Then, they are examining it with a microscope for flaws, instead of coming boldly forward with a bill of their own. But this cannot be helped. It is up to the Republicans to take the lead, and force the issue by putting the majority on record with a bill that is not open to just criticism.

## The Dry Spell.

The prayer gauge has been invoked as an auxiliary to the cloud-compelling powers of the weather man in the states of Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and North Carolina, where at this early stage in the crop season the springs and wells are going dry and vegetation is curling up in premature semblance of the sear and yellow leaf, records an exchange. Farmers and truckers face a serious situation, and the money loss, already heavy, will reach a calamitous total if relief is delayed, as is now the outlook according to the government forecast. People who send up a petition to a higher power have no explanation to offer for the drought except that contained in the ill-defined idea that the visitation is a sign of divine wrath, hence the utility of a direct appeal for the lifting of the chastening rod.

The scientific theory, of course, lies entirely outside the spiritual. At various times since the drought set in early in May the weather bureau has heralded the approach of rain clouds from the West, only to disappoint. During the last few days the weather map has shown the presence of an extensive area of downpour just west of the Mississippi, which was scheduled to reach the Atlantic states in a few days. But its progress has been stayed, like others before it, by an area of high pressure in the western Atlantic, which has baffled the experts at the bureau.

The persistent "high" off the Florida coast owes its presence to a persistent "low" in the Northwest. And so long as these abnormal conditions are the controlling factors in the equation, the confident prophesying of the weather sharps and the pious invocations of the God-fearing are destined to go unanswered. City folk are likely to experience the effects of the drought most severely in the almost total failure of the strawberry crop. The lateness of the spring, together with the dry spell which immediately followed, gave the plants no opportunity to reach a normal growth, and the berries are withering on the vines. Owing to the dry condition of the soil, other early vegetation also promises to yield no better results.

## MINUS A LEG

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being an improvement on the preceding one, and after the close of the war he patented an artificial limb and began the manufacture of the patented article. Today Mr. Hanger is proprietor of one of the largest artificial limb establishments in the country, and has a big contract with the government for supplying artificial limbs to the soldiers of the American army.

Mr. Hanger left here some weeks ago for Arkansas expecting to return by way of Philadelphia, stopping off there for the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the loss of his leg.

Quite a number from here will also attend the Confederate Memorial Day exercises at Shepherdstown. Congressman Brown is on the program for the exercises there, and has had promises from Congressman Lamb, of Virginia, and Congressman Taylor, of Alabama, both former Confederate soldiers, to speak on that occasion. The exercises will be held next Saturday and the following day the speakers will be taken over the battle field of Antietam.

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## LEGISLATION

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Inventor of the telescope by Count Carl von Klenckowstroem, a Munich scholar, in a report just published. In it he gives quotations from a manuscript, discovered by him in the British Museum, written by the mathematician William Bourne, about 1575 and citing quotations showing that Digges made use of the telescope at least forty years before Galileo or the Holland scientists. Bourne cites a lost treatise, published at London in 1571, entitled "A Geometric Practice, named Pantometria," in which a full description of the lenses used by Digges is given.

In order to solve or make less vexing, the household servant problem, in Berlin, a composite committee representative of the interests of mistress and maid has been selected under municipal auspices at a mass meeting. It will draw up a formal agreement to serve as a general basis for the relations between employer and employee. Some of the questions usually leading to strife which are to be dealt with are those of wages, payment of board during employer's absence, hours of liberty, compulsory references, summer vacations, treatment during illness and the settlement of state insurance dues.

## BASEBALL

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

## Today's Games.

Chicago at St. Louis.  
Philadelphia at New York.  
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.  
Brooklyn at Boston.

## Sunday's Games.

Chicago at St. Louis.  
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

## Yesterday's Results.

Boston 7, Brooklyn 2.  
New York 5, Philadelphia 3.  
Pittsburgh 3, Cincinnati 4.  
Chicago-St. Louis; not scheduled.

## Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	22	13	.629
Philadelphia	23	14	.622
Chicago	21	13	.613
Pittsburgh	20	15	.571
St. Louis	15	16	.484
Cincinnati	15	16	.484
Brooklyn	13	23	.361
Boston	9	28	.243

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

## Today's Games.

Philadelphia at New York.  
St. Louis at Detroit.  
Boston at Washington.  
Cleveland at Chicago.

## Sunday's Games.

St. Louis at Detroit.  
Cleveland at Chicago.

## Yesterday's Results.

No games played.

## Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	29	9	.763
Philadelphia	19	15	.559
Chicago	17	15	.531
New York	17	16	.515
Boston	18	16	.529
Cleveland	16	22	.421
Washington	12	23	.353
St. Louis	12	25	.324

## CHILDREN'S HAIR

Keep It Free from Dandruff and It Will Grow Lovely.

Being the best hair dressing for men and women, Parisian Sage is also best for children. Try it once and see how clean and healthy it keeps the scalp.

My daughter used Parisian Sage on her children's hair, and it is as good as you recommend it to be."—Hannah Anderson, 1021 Divine St., Columbia, S. C.

Here is what a North Dakota woman says:

"Parisian Sage certainly has done my hair a lot of good, and will highly recommend it as a very good tonic for the hair. Have used various kinds of tonics and have found Parisian Sage the best. I have my head free from dandruff now, and it has a healthy luster and has an even color. It used to be streaky. Many of my friends are using it and they speak highly of it."—Mrs. Anna Rooney, 101 Second St., N. Fargo, N. D.

Always bear in mind that there is nothing for the hair that can compare with Parisian Sage. There are many imitations but none of them are guaranteed to eradicate dandruff, stop falling hair and itching scalp in two weeks, or money back.

A large bottle costs 50 cents at Wells & Haymaker Co. and druggists everywhere. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every bottle.

## CUT GLASS AND CHINA.

Dainty pieces of china and sparkling gems of cut glass tastefully arranged bespeak a housewife's sense of the beautiful. The most essential factor in the care of chinaware and cut glass is freedom from dirt and grease, the enemies of brilliancy. Best results in this regard can be obtained by the use of Hewitt's Easy Task Soap. It loosens the dirt and cuts the grease, but does not scratch. Costs five cents and keeps things sparkling.

Saturday, May 27, 1911.

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\$1.50 and \$2.00 Embroidered Waists for ..... 98c  
Gray Madeira Embroidery, 35c to \$1.50 value ..... 25c Yd.  
40c Taffeta Ribbon ..... 23c Yd.  
\$1.50 French Gray Gowns and Combinations ..... 98c  
\$1.40 White Quilts ..... 98c  
\$1.50 Leather and Silk Hand Bags, 89c  
50c Kayser Chamisette Gloves ..... 25c  
\$2.00 Carpet Ends, for Rugs ..... 98c  
\$1.00 Pure Silk Hose at ..... 69c Pair  
\$25 Axminster Rugs ..... \$17.98  
25c and 35c Fancy French Tissue at ..... 15c Yd.  
25c White Lawns and Batiste, 12½c  
\$1.25 Antiseptic Diaper Cloth ..... 79c  
65c and 75c Embroidered Dress Swiss, at ..... 25c yard  
85c Mohawk Sheets ..... 55c

\$1.50 and \$2.00 Linen Drawn Work and Renaissance Dresser Scarfs ..... 98c  
50c Tapestry Cushion Covers ..... 25c  
75c Lawn Dressing Sacques ..... 49c  
\$10.00 Brussels Rugs ..... \$6.50  
12c Pillow Cases ..... 9c  
\$15.00 Brussels Rugs ..... \$10.98  
35c and 50c Collars and Jabots ..... 19c  
12½ Ribbed Sleeveless Vests, 3 for 25c ..... \$14.98  
\$22.50 Axminster Rugs ..... \$14.98  
Famous Yellow Edge Taffeta, 89c Yd ..... \$2.69  
\$4.00 Axminster Rugs ..... 19c Yd  
25c Japanese Mattings ..... 19c Yd  
25c and 35c Taffeta Ribbon ..... 15c Yd  
"Air-Float" Talcum Powder ..... 9c  
7½c Apron Gingham ..... 4½c Yd  
\$9.00 Brussels Rugs ..... \$5.98  
\$1.00 Two-Yard Wide Damask, 49c Yd  
Children's Hose, all Colors ..... 15c Pair  
Value up to 25c.  
25c Bleached Bath Towels ..... 15c  
\$2.50 Axminster Rugs ..... \$1.49

## Special Sale Towels

MONDAY, MAY 29TH.

15c Huck Towels, 6 for 49c

Heavy cotton Huck Towels, with red damask borders, size 10x36 inches, hemmed ends. This case of towels comes direct to us from the mill and is without an exception one of the best towel values we have ever offered. Sale starts Monday morning at 9 o'clock. See window display. Sale price, 6 towels for 49c.

## Special Sale Percales

TUESDAY, MAY 30TH.

12½c and 15c Cambric Percales, 7¾c Yd.

Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, we will place on sale another case of fine cambric finished Percales. The styles we think are about the best we have ever shown, beautiful styles in neat, small and medium designs, in both light and dark, also plain solid colors, black and white checks, etc. See window display. Sale price Tuesday, May 30th. 7¾c.



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